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Mr. B. L. Belden,
American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, at 156th Street,
New York City, New York.

Dear Mr. Belden:-

It is with a great deal of pleasure indeed that I send you from the Intercollegiate Conference Athletic Association two of the medals designed for us by Dr. MacKenzie.

I appreciate very much the assistance you gave me during the time when we were seeking someone to do this work. I hope the medal, which we regard very highly indeed, will be one which your Society will be pleased to add to its collection. In all likelihood Dr. MacKenzie could give you a better technical description than I can. As you know probably he is in England in the service of the army. This work he did as a relaxation.

Nine medals are presented each year to the senior in each of the nine institutions in the Intercollegiate Conference, who in the opinion of the faculty has achieved the greatest success in athletics and scholarship. The method of selection is left entirely to the institution but the men selected must have spent four years at the institution.

The institutions involved are
as follows:

University of Chicago
University of Illinois
University of Indiana
University of Iowa
University of Minnesota
University of Wisconsin
Northwestern University
Ohio State University
Purdue University

Mr. B. L. Belden

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The reverse of the medal bears the seals of these nine universities and the monogram of our association I. C. A. A.

I think there is nothing further I can tell you about the medal and you knowing my assurance of appreciation for your kindness to me, I remain

Yours very sincerely,

George R. Horton.

*P.O. Have directed Chesapeake Art Co. to
deliver medals to you. Express states here
delays all deliveries and above is making
a list for us.*

July 14th, 1916.

Mr. George R. Horton,
c/o The Western Architect,
215 So. Market Street,
Chicago, Illinois.

Dear Sir:-

I have delayed answering your letter to Mr. Belden, who is no longer connected with us, until I received the medals from the Medallie Art Company. These came yesterday, and I want to thank you very much for remembering us. They have exceptional merit, and we are very glad to get them.

Very truly,

Curator.